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Capacity Crowd Applauds Grand Gymnastic Show

MORINVILLE. — On Friday evening 150 took part in a grand demonstration of physical exercises and gymnastics in the Morinville Community Hall. The hall was filled to capacity and the audience gave a lively proof of their approval by the spontaneous applause after each group's performance. A dash of color was introduced with the bright costumes worn in the folk dancing number.

Miss Lorie Martin of Red Deer gave special ballet and toe tan solo numbers also a fine performance of acrobats in a duet with Mr. Phillippe Gibeau. Miss Mariette Trotter was at the piano.

Mr. Oscar Patry, president of the Morinville Sports Association who are the sponsors of the Physical Training classes, gave a short address followed by Mr. Mayor A. Soetaert, Mr. E. Tessier. Those responsible for this outstanding success are the leaders: Mr. Daniel Cournoyer, Phil Gibeau and Miss Yvonne Gamache who for the past six months have guided and supervised the classes.

This performance brought to a close the physical training classes until next fall. Any volunteers who wish to go to Red Deer for leaders training get in touch with our local leaders or officials of the Sports Association.

ST. ALBERT NOTES

Mr. Sumner, scoutmaster and assistants Father Magnon and Mr. Raboud; Mr. Roberge, cubmaster and assistant Mr. Vague and nine scouts: Rene Morin, Lucien Brodwin, Gordon Akins, Gerald Vague, Lawrence Leclair, Roger Sevigny, Roy Szyrski, Rene Brodeur attended a movie on scouting at the armatures in Edmonton on Monday, March 27.

The W.I. met in the hall on Tuesday, March 28 at their regular meeting. Mrs. Cuts gave a talk on a woman of the day—Mrs. Roosevelt.

Mrs. Ruth Whaley, home economist was giving sewing lessons, mist, who was giving sewing lessons, is ill with measles.

Mrs. L. Barry entertained at whist on Sat., March 25 for the Lirar fund. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. P. Iscke, Mr. and Mrs. Bobcock, Tony and Caroline Iscke, Rose and Robert Iscke, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kluthe.

Mrs. O. Sinclair and Mrs. W. Sinclair entertained at a party for the Library fund on Sat., April 1. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. W. Partan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. D. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. T. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. L. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harrold, Barbara Sinclair and Donald Gardiner.

Mrs. Lawrence Barry will entertain the Ladies Bridge on Tuesday, April 4.

Those who went to Bon Accord on Wednesday to the W.I. meeting at Mrs. Carruthers were: Mrs. Vague, Mrs. "Bud" Leclair and Deborah, Mrs. Gaudin, Mrs. Akins, L. Alice Ross, Mrs. N. Ross, Mrs. L. Barry, Mrs. J. Harrold, Mrs. Sumner. It was a very pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. Vague as constituency convener, spoke on W.I. matters.

The road by the Sundance mine from Highway 2 to Namao Road was good.

Mrs. Vague made her visit to Waspette on Sat., April 1. Mrs. Blair and Ann Marie, Mrs. Cuts, Mrs. S. Bonnevillie and Marilyn Vague accompanied her. This trip was 170 miles, up the Alaskan Highway to Morinville, across to the Namao Highway, then N.E. through Egremont, Radway and Waskatenau to Waspette. The road was good all the way.

Loch Raffranchise has broken a leg and is walking with it in a cast.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Genereaux, a new heir, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Veness entertained at a birthday party for her father, Mr. Bourgois on March 26 when he was 62.

The evening was spent in whist. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. V. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bourgois, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bourgois and Mr. and Mrs. A. Thivierge of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Bourgois, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bourgois, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bourgois.

Navy Fliers To Have Girl Mechanics



NO HIGH FLIERS, but definitely to become part of the British Navy's Fleet Air Arm are Wrens, the name given to members of the Women's Royal Naval Service, the British equivalent of WAVES. Ranked as air mechanics, the girls will do the same ground jobs as men on airframes and motors, and will be given a chance of becoming pilot's mates responsible for the servicing of individual aircraft. Pictured (left to right) are Wrens N. Maitland (25), B. Brown (19) and C. McHugh (25), three girls already hard at work on aircraft maintenance at a naval air station in the South of England.

Legal Old-Timer Passes Away

LEGAL.—On Saturday, April 1 one of our old timers passed away. He is Mr. J. Vpaugeois, 78 year old gentleman who died in the Edmonton General Hospital.

Mr. Vpaugeois lived in Legal for many years and was owner of a butcher shop.

He leaves to mourn him besides his loving wife, 13 children, of whom Mr. Maurice Vpaugeois and Mrs. E. Massie are residing in Legal.

The funeral service will be held on Tuesday in the Legal Church. Our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

LEGAL.—Friday, March 31 was the date the school children chose to celebrate their "National Fidelity Week." For the occasion the teachers and the children prepared a French concert which they presented in the public hall.

LEGAL.—CYO members held their monthly community breakfast after 8:30 mass on Sunday. The attraction of this Sunday was a "flap-jack" meal which was highly acclaimed and quickly absorbed.

Accidental Death Reported

MORINVILLE.—Mr. Adolphe Billo received word that his son, Emile of Prud' Homme, Sask, had been killed in a car-railway accident. Mrs. E. Billo is reported as very seriously injured in the accident. Mr. Adolphe Billo left immediately for Prud' Homme. Mr. Emile Billo leaves four small children. Gergette, Denis, Gerald and Robert. His father of Morinville, one brother, Marcel Billo of Vonda, Sask, and two sisters, Mrs. Ernest Peller of Morinville and Mrs. L. Stretchley of Sunset Prairie, B.C. Other relatives in Morinville include Mrs. Nap Meunier, Mrs. Alphonse Brissette, Mr. Gustave Billo.

Mr. Jack Parker Passes Away

MORINVILLE.—Mr. Jack Parker passed away suddenly on Saturday afternoon at Alexco, Alberta, at the age of 45 years. Born in England he has been a resident of Cardiff for the past 25 years. He came to mourn his death, his wife the former Miss Jean Swanson and three daughters, Miss Shirley 20, Barbara 19, Kathleen 17 and one son, Brian age 9, his father Mr. L. P. Parker of Edmonton and a sister Dorothy. Funeral services took place on Tuesday April 2, at the Howard and McBride Funeral parlors in Edmonton. The pall bearers were: Mr. H. Saunders, Floyd Vollarth, Louis Brache, Alex and Andy McLaughlin and Elmer Fawcett. Burial took place in Edmonton.

High School Holds Sunday Party

MORINVILLE.—A whist and bingo party was held in the Parish hall by the members of the High School Chorus to assist them in the A.C.T. contest with about 75 people present.

Mr. Bourgois was presented with an ash tray.

Winners were: Lawrence Veness, first; Levi Bourgois, second for the gents and Mrs. G. Bourgois, first and Mrs. Bourgois Sr., second in ladies.

A wonderful lunch finished off the pleasant evening.

A very successful bingo was held at the parish hall on Sunday.

Among winners of 'hams' were: Walter Belcourt, Mary Kennedy, Mary Wolniwicz, W. Hebert, Hector MacDonald, George Cunningham, Mrs. H. Lamoureux, and Mrs. J. Flynn.

Bluebirds, crows, blackbirds, flickers, robins and geese have been seen.

Little Eden Black had her little fence hole cut by the spout on the stove reservoir.

Farewell Party Held For Mr., Mrs. Leonard

ST. ALBERT.—A farewell party was held in the hall on Thursday March 20 for Mr. and Mrs. Leonard. Messages were given by Mayor Ross, Mrs. L. Barry and Lorne Atkins.

Mrs. Leonard was presented with a linen table cloth with serviettes and a silver tray.

Mr. Leonard received a purse. Winners in bridge were Mrs. Barry, ladies: Alf Sevigny, gents.

Whist winners: Mrs. M. Lavoie and H. Benion.

Consolation: L. Veness and Evelyn Perron.

Mrs. Leonard will be missed as a member of the W.I. Bridge club and hostess of the Community Hall lunches. Mr. Leonard was the caretaker of the curling and skating rinks this past year. They have been residents here for 24 years.

Rosalie Truckey Queen At Onaway

ONOWAY.—Rosalie Truckey was crowned queen of the two-day Onaway carnival, held to raise funds for the building of a new floor in the 26-year-old community hall. In second place in the queen contest was Megan Hewlett with Annie Mierzewski, Jessie Taylor, Fay Armistead, Joy Gailford, Jaqui Hay and Edith Carlin following in that order.

More than \$500 was raised through the carnival where games, dancing and ample eats were enjoyed.

Msgr. E. Tessier Guest Of Honor

MORINVILLE.—On Friday afternoon the students of Notre Dame Convent and Thibault School gave a concert in honor of Msgr. E. Tessier on the occasion of his 68th anniversary. Games from 1 to 12 took part in the one and one-half hour variety program.

Farmers Urged To Get Forage Seed

The Morinville Municipal Seed Cleaning Plant has in stock 70,000 lbs. of forage crop seed, according to the provincial department of agriculture, and while most of this supply has already been ordered by district farmers, a certain quantity is still available. Those who have not placed their orders are urged to do so immediately.

The department also points out that warble insects are causing serious losses to livestock men. Method of protection is to wash each animal's back with warble powder solution, or use pressure spray, at a cost of less than three cents per animal.

The department presents the following as a reminder in the save the soil campaign:

Save the soil!
Arrange a crop sequence
Versus straight grain growing.
Enrich your soil with grasses!

The right way is the only way.
Higher yields will result,
Ending with greater returns.

Surplus profits
On the farm,
In the home
Life more pleasant.

Contrary to the old method of A black and bare fallow, Make a radical change Pertaining to sound farming. A rotation, including Forage Crop, Is now highly recommended. Guard against soil erosion, Neglecting same would be disastrous.

Physical Culture Display Planned

MORINVILLE.—On Friday, March 31 at the Morinville Community hall at 8:30 p.m. a fine revue of gymnastics will be given by classes of physical culture. A special effort for a good attendance should be made by all the parents to encourage our boys and girls.

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EVERY ROAD CAN'T BE PAVED

The Hon. D. B. McMillan, Minister of Public Works won't tell what his department intends to do about graveling main roads that can't be paved. But it's a cinch that all highways in the province can't be hard surfaced.

As a matter of fact, it is questionable if the interests of the majority of the people of this province are being served best by neglecting the thousands of miles of gravelled roads we now have for a few paltry miles of paving.

One of the busiest stretches of highway in the province is the road from Edmonton to Smoky Lake via Redwater. The Department of Highways does not plan on extending the hard surface past Narmoo Airport on this road. However, if something isn't done about it the heavy volume of traffic will reduce it to a mud-rutted, auto-defying trail.

Clearly, highways which can't be paved this year should be given an adequate treatment of new gravel. Road maintainers which scrape the surface do no more than that. They are supposed to level off the surface by scraping loose gravel into the ruts and holes in the road. It is so long since most highways have received any application of gravel that the road maintainers work is now useless. There just is no gravel to fill up the ruts.

We aren't in favour of Liberal Leader Harper Prowse's proposal that auto license fees be reduced in half. For our part, we'd gladly pay double the present fee if gravel highways could thereby be properly maintained. So rather than reduce the fees, let's have good gravel roads on which to travel.

As it is now, Alberta motorists are paying in two ways for good highways they haven't got. We are paying high license fees and gasoline taxes and in addition a high premium on auto depreciation and repairs, because of the poor condition of the roads.

The problem could be solved at not-too-great expense by stock-piling gravel, not in mountainous heaps every hundred miles or so, but right along the edge of each main highway. Then, each time the maintainer went down the road an inch or two of gravel would be scattered in front of the machine, filling in the ruts.

Until this is done, the Attorney General could rake in a few extra shekels by fines on dangerous driving. In our opinion, any motorist driving faster than 20 miles per hour on these highways is guilty of recklessness. This is a perfectly wonderful opportunity to add to the funds of the Provincial Treasury.

LET THE COURTS PUNISH CRIME

In view of the somewhat scandalous conduct of a well-known film actress, it was inevitable that someone would suggest that the industry or the actors' organization undertake some plan to discipline "performers who become fugitives from moral decency and offenders against good taste."

The proposal was made by Gael Sullivan, executive director of the Theatre Owners of America, that the Actors' Guild accept the grave responsibility of disciplining their members. In reply, Ronald Reagan, president of an actors' organization, says that such a plan would be illegal, constituting an extra-curricular activity, which has already been disapproved by the courts. He points out that "actors as a group are no different from any other group of average good citizens and workers."

While it is always dangerous to create a private organization for the purpose of regulating social behavior, there is always the possibility that an organization can, through appropriate by-laws and regulations, require members to meet a certain standard of morals and public behavior. The punishment of crime, of course, should be left to the courts, but there is probably a way for any association or organization to protect its good name by requiring proper conduct on the part of its members.

The strenuous efforts of organized baseball to prevent gambling from betting into the national pastime illustrates the point. We are not familiar with the organization, headed by former Senator A. B. Chandler, who serves as Czar in organized baseball, nor do we know its regulations. A visible fact, however, is that Mr. Chandler, exercising the powers vested in him, has been able to discipline baseball players and to remove those from the game whose conduct tends to bring it into disrepute.

NOTES AND COMMENT

The difficulty about co-operation, international and otherwise, is that not everybody who talks about it practices it.

We have no secret information as to the economic future but you will make no mistake if you reduce your indebtedness.

The probability is that all murderers are, temporarily, unbalanced but this does not mean that no killer should be punished.

The leaders of other peoples assert they do not desire to adopt western civilization but they are practical enough to seek as many dollars as possible.

We dislike centralized government as much as anybody but when an industry becomes too big for state control there is a job for the federal government.

SCRIPTURAL MEDITATIONS

By AINSLEY BLAIR

"The only way to grow in grace is to be disinterested doing the very work which Christ has enjoined upon us—to engage, to the extent of our ability, in helping and blessing those who need the help we can give them. Strength comes from exercise; activity is the very condition of life. Those who endeavor to maintain Christian life by passively accepting the blessings that come through the means of grace, and doing nothing for Christ, are simply trying to live by eating without working. And in the spiritual as in the natural world, this always results in degeneration and decay. A man who would refuse to exercise his limbs would soon lose all power to use them. Thus the Christian who will not exercise his God-given powers, not only fails to grow up into Christ but he loses the strength he already had."

—Steps to Christ.

S-M-I-L-E-S

Caught

Lady—Why are you in prison, my poor man?
Convict—For driving a car too slowly, lady.
Lady—You mean too fast.
Convict—I mean too slow. The owner jumped into another car and caught me.

Solid Ivory

Before they wed she often said
He had a "marble brow"
After a year
All you'll hear
He is a "bonehead" now.

Cheap Rainfall Promised

Excessive dry weather, which has plagued agriculture these last few summers, may soon be a thing of the past. Alberta already has its "rain-making-man"—a chap from Medicine Hat—but now Dr. Irving Langmuir of the General Electric Co. says North America's rainfall can be doubled at a cost of only about \$150 for silver iodide. His theory is that smoke generated on the ground will cause clouds to precipitate. The scientist says that two small clouds in New Mexico last year dumped more than 320 billion gallons of water as the rainstorm traveled 150 miles.

The rain-making technique, however, involves some uncertainties. The smoke must hit the particular key spot in the cloud, which means it must be at the right place at the right time. Calculating these essentials is a difficult problem.

There is some argument among experts as to whether the new system produces the rain, or not. Some say the rain would have fallen anyway. Dr. Langmuir, however, believes otherwise. About all the average person can do is to wait for the election night—await further returns.

In Search of the Yukon

By JACK BIRD

Note—This is another in a series of articles by Mr. Bird on a recent trip to the Yukon and Alaska.

20 FEET OF SNOW

When I returned from the Yukon to Alaska there was a foot of snow on the ground at White Pass. They sometimes have 20 feet of snow there I was told. But down at the coast, at Skagway, they have the same kind of climate as at Prince Rupert and Vancouver, but not so much rain. The average morning temperature at Skagway, while I was there, was 35 above; in Prince Rupert, some 400 miles south, it was only 10 degrees warmer. Skagway is about 900 miles north of Vancouver, and I picked buttercups in the Skagway valley the 15th of November. Even in January, at Skagway, the average temperature is 27 above, although the record of the year before I was there the thermometer went down to that much below I was the coldest in the memory of the old-timers.

"And why are the winters so mild?" I wanted to know.

"Largely because of the Japan current," was the answer.

And especially has the Prince Rupert area had milder winters since 1923, for the earthquake that destroyed a third of Tokyo and most of Yokohama on the 1st of September that year, changed the course of the Japan current. It is the same current that brings bamboo all the way across the Pacific and tosses it up on the shores of the Queen Charlotte, and also those greenish-blue Japanese glass fishing floats.

SOAPY SMITH

Alaska's No. 1 band man was "Soapy" Smith. Some will no doubt contest this statement. They will admit that maybe he did have some bad in him, but he also had a lot of good, and was really, at heart, a public spirited citizen of sorts, for he was sometimes called the "Uncrowned King of Skagway."

But Soapy's goodness (his real name was Jefferson Randolph Smith), was of the kind that, if he gave generously with one hand and some church or unfortunate soul, he also, at the same time, robbed some one else with the other hand, for Soapy's racket was fleecing people. And that he might do it more thoroughly he had about 200 henchmen scattered along the way between California and Alaska. They worked the boats and the camps and the trails, finding out who had money, and making you acquainted with the name of Soapy Smith, and urging you by all means to visit his establishments when you got to Skagway. Once there you were lured into one of his little cabins where you were robbed, if not one way, then another.

I have seen some of the instruments they had for separating the unwary from their money. I saw his 3 walnuts that he used for his shell game. I saw his thousand dollar roulette wheel that he brought from Denver. I saw his faro table, and his semi-circular crap table. I also saw his revolver.

with the 4 notches in the butt. I went around to his saloon, which is called "Jeff's Place". And when I said in front of the old building I said to myself: "That's the door where the bearded-faced Soapy stood with a 40 Winchester rifle in his hand one evening at 6 o'clock 49 years ago. He stood there and faced the crowd that was standing just where I am now standing."

The story that has come down to us, with minor variations, is this. A man named Stewart had just returned from Dawson with seventeen thousand dollars worth of gold dust in his poke. He foolishly visited Soapy's saloon. Some of Soapy's confederates relieved Stewart of his precious dust. A crowd was in the town Marshal, but the Marshal, as it was later brought out, was allegedly in the pay of Soapy, so would do nothing. Stewart then went to the town of Dyea and laid his complaint before the U.S. Commissioner. The Commissioner went to Skagway, had a talk with Soapy, and gave him until 6 o'clock that night to return Stewart's gold.

A crowd was standing in front of Jeff's Place at that particular time of the evening of the 8th of July, 1898.

At 6 o'clock, as we have said, Soapy appeared at the door, armed with a rifle. He stood and faced the crowd, and no one—not even the Commissioner from Dyea—did a thing. Then Soapy stepped to the wooden door. The crowd made way for him, and he walked leisurely about the town with no one raising a little finger. During this, Soapy finally returned to his saloon, fortified himself with a Drink, and then repaired to a hotel on the Ljunesson Wharf, at the foot of State Street, where, he had been informed, a crowd had gathered to sorm themselves into an organization of a vigilante nature.

It was now 9 o'clock at night, and standing guard at the door of a saloon was one Frank Reid whom Soapy had pushed off the sidewalk earlier in the evening. Seeing Reid standing there seemed to rile him, for he called out his name and struck at him with his rifle. Reid drew his revolver and fired. But he missed, and that was to cost him his life, for when he fired the second time Soapy also fired. Soapy was shot through the heart and died instantly. But Reid lingered on for 10 days before he also died. Both men were buried in the little "Boots-On" Cemetery as it is called. It stands on the edge of the town, in a clump of trees, by the water front. I counted roughly 50 graves; hardly any tombstones, nearly all head boards, and many of the same date, 1898, with 1899 next. Soapy's stone has a heavy wire netting over it to keep the crazy souvenir hunters from chipping it all away, for they had destroyed his original headboard. They had also chipped away the figure of the tombstone of Bill Hickok had, and even so defaced the first tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington National cemetery that the one you may see today is the second, which is why a guard paces up and down before it day and night.

Did I tell you how Soapy Smith got his nickname? I don't believe I did. Well, it was because, before he moved into bigger things, he used sometimes to stand on a box in the midst of a crowd, and sell soap at a dollar a bar. As he wrapped it up he would put five-dollar bills in some of the packages.

No one, of course, ever got the five dollars except some of Soapy's men who were in the crowd for that very reason. But the gullible didn't know this, and it stimulated business.

The Alaskans have made a hero out of this Soapy person, for periodically they re-enact the shooting between him and Reid, although it does not take place in the part of the town where it really happened.

I have a photograph of this re-enacting, and you see the crowds on each side of the street, while down the centre walk two men dressed like Reid and Soapy. They draw their guns and fire, then fall in the road as if they are dead.

How typically Hollywood the whole thing is!

In 1947, latest year of record, 2,366,456 Canadians paid income taxes.

NEW SPRING OFFENSIVE COMING UP



Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,
Week Ending April 8, 1950

Twelve Triumphs in Nineteen Games



Shown here are the Egremont Pirates, one of northern Alberta's star hockey teams, who this season scored 12 triumphs in 19 games, losing only six times and gaining one tie. Left to right they are Albert Furschke, Peter Galsky, Johnny Hunchak, Johnny Szeizak, Norman Furschke, Herb Adams, Bernie Furschke, Johnny Cherniweh, Peter Ochliwa, Wally Shydowski, and Steve Stepenko. Not shown are Doug Furschke, Eddy Lakusta and Russell Lakusta.

Bootleg Cars Being Rushed To Oil - Rich Alberta

By RAYMOND ARGYLE

Automobile bootlegging — the newest cross-country racket — has assumed major proportions with bootleg cars being rushed from eastern Canada to oil-rich Alberta. The nation-wide scheme is causing a growing headache to responsible automotive dealers.

The scheme works this way. Many automobile dealers, faced with production catching up to demand, find themselves with cars on their hands. Some sell them through the back door to used car dealers, for a quick profit of perhaps \$100 compared to their regular margin of \$400 or \$500.

Used car dealers in Toronto and other eastern cities can thus offer cars for \$100 or \$200 under list

price. Others, aware of the big market in oil-rich Alberta, rush the cars to Alberta points, where they can be sold at list price as new, or for a few dollars under list price.

"Free transportation to western Canada, get paid while you travel," read the ads in Ontario newspapers.

Out of work men, who've heard tales of Alberta's strike-it-rich postwar oil boom, swamp to answer the ads.

The jobless men soon are on the road, driving the cars to Alberta points. Usually they travel in convoys, led by the dealer. But the men get as little as \$10 a trip,

and when they arrive in Alberta, they find the employment picture is not as rosy as it has been painted.

Recently, four penniless youths went to Edmonton police and told their story. They had answered a din a Toronto paper. The advertiser had 12 cars to ship to Alberta. Each man drove one out and was left stranded. They said their convoy was headed by one of a two-man partnership. One collected the cars in Toronto while the other delivered them, then flew back for another convoy.

Hundreds of bootleg trucks and cars are being delivered in Alberta, usually after having been driven at break-neck speed. Speedometers are turned back and the cars sold as new. Close to 100 are entering Edmonton every week, and about half that number go into Calgary and southern Alberta points.

There is no doubt the situation is serious. Responsible dealers, who comprise the big majority of people in the business, are up in arms at the scheme used by a small minority.

Daysland Curlers Feted at Edmonton



Above is the Daysland rink entry in the Legion provincial bonspiel held recently in Edmonton. Daysland dropped the 'spiel to Lethbridge in an extra end that was played, after leading throughout the tournament. Left to right they are Jack Wallis, Jim Brown, Bob Hanrahan and Jake Coburn. Team members received individual trophies and crests presented by Gooderham & Worts Ltd. at the Kingsway Legion banquet which wound up the 'spiel.

New Trains Slated For Edmonton-Calgary Run

Two crack new daylight flyers to be named the Stampeder and Eskimo will be put into daily service between Calgary and Edmonton April 30 by the C.P.R.

Made up of the most modern coaches, the new trains will maintain a four and a half hour schedule between the two cities and are in addition to three other trains now on the run from each end — an overnight, a day local and the Chinook.

Departure will be 8:30 a.m. from Calgary and 3:00 p.m. from Edmonton.

The Stampeder, leaving Calgary at 8:30 a.m. will arrive in the Alberta capital at 1:00 p.m. The Eskimo, departing at 3:00 p.m. from Edmonton, arrives at Calgary at 7:30 p.m. The schedule

into and out of Calgary was drawn to give new connections to and from Crownstent points and to improve transcontinental connections both ways.

Features of the trains will be three new day coaches with "Sleepy Hollow" chairs engineered for comfort, plastic murals on the end walls, glass partitions and the new look in pastel decoration. The buffet parlor car will offer the latest chair and dining accommodation. A combination passenger-baggage and a through express car will complete the trains.

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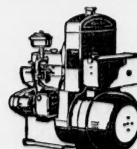
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When Jesus Was Tried

When the first faint rays of sunshine came over the Judean hills on that first Easter morning, the tomb was empty. And this weekend, nearly 2,000 years later, the world of Christendom celebrates once again the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

The events that preceded the crucifixion of Jesus are clouded in antiquity, but it can be factually stated that His trial, the greatest in Christendom, is the least known and probably the least understood.

Not until centuries had passed did mankind realize the enormity of the crime committed in that fateful week. For at the time the fate of Jesus was of paramount importance only to His followers; the event did not appear to warrant a place in the writings of contemporary historians.

Today the impact of the crucifixion has established itself

into a world-wide consciousness. Time has given us the proper perspective to view it as one of the most important events in the history of civilization.

Continued interest focuses attention on interesting sidelights of the event. Was the trial of Jesus in Hebrew and Roman courts legal? Was Jesus arrested on a warrant? Of what offence was He charged and on what evidence was He convicted?

It is impossible to adequately establish the course of an event 2,000 years gone by. But from the Bible, and from other ancient records imparting general background information, a pattern of events does emerge.

It appears from ancient records that restlessness among the Jews in Palestine and the precariousness

attempt to arrest Jesus in public while preaching or performing His miracles could result in mob violence. It was therefore decided to arrest Him outside Jerusalem, when accompanied by but a few of His followers. Someone was needed who could identify Jesus at a distance. Judas was willing to act as an informer for the bribe that was offered him.

The soldiers of Rome followed the directions of Judas and came upon Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane, where He was conferring with His disciples. It was early evening and there Jesus was arrested.

Jesus was apparently arrested on a perfectly legal warrant issued by Caiaphas, High Priest and Chief Justice of Israel, who had been making regular reports to Rome regarding the activities of Jesus.

UNJUST AND UNLAWFUL

Jesus was thus seized and taken before the Hebrew court for the first of His two trials. There, the principal charge against Jesus seems to have been that of blasphemy against the established or-

that part of the Empire. Here a charge comparable to high treason was laid by the Jewish priests. So that the Roman court would hear the charge the accusers complained that Jesus was "One Who Set Himself up as King Against Caesar."

PILATE RELUCTANT

Pilate appears to have been extremely reluctant to press the charge, while he apparently knew nothing of the previous trial, he was skeptical of the legality of the warrant and feared that criticism would result and his own position be placed in jeopardy.

Pilate was satisfied with Jesus' explanation that His Kingship was of another world, and had he had his way, he would have given Jesus His freedom.

Thrice Pilate voiced his belief that Jesus was not guilty, and went so far as to suggest that He be given amnesty, as it was the custom during the annual feasts to bestow freedom on some person charged with a crime.

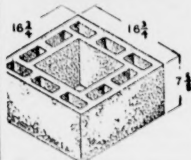
HOSTILE CROWD.

The hostile crowd, stirred up by the priests, angrily denounced this suggestion. Instead they cried for the release of Barrabbas, a revolutionist who was awaiting trial on charges of sedition and murder. They called out for the crucifixion of Jesus—a method of execution reserved only for the most dangerous of criminals.

It was the final and clever threat of the Jewish accusers which broke Pilate's determination: "If thou let this man go thou art not Caesar's friend" (John 19:12). The emperor would not understand that Christ's kingship was not of this world; he, Pilate, would be called to Rome and forced to commit suicide in atonement for his offence.

And so Pilate yielded. Without rescinding his verdict of not guilty, he gave sentence that it should be as they required. Barrabbas was released and Jesus was turned over to the mob of accusers and personal enemies, to be taken away and crucified. —R.A.

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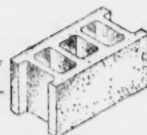

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of Roman rule had caused the Empire considerable anxiety in the past. Roman agents were on the lookout for signs of a rebellious uprising and when the enthusiastic followers of Jesus proclaimed Him "King of the Jews", the matter was serious enough to warrant the immediate attention of Rome.

JEALOUS PRIESTS

The Jewish priests were of course jealous of Christ's following, and the Roman authorities were convinced they could end the expense of constantly investigating and watching the Christ movement by removing the leader of this so-called new political faction.

When Jesus entered Jerusalem a few days before the annual feast of the passover plans were already well afoot to deal decisively with this "menace" and a warrant for His arrest was already in the hands of the officials. Jesus had just completed a long and successful tour of the hinterlands and had entered the city for the purpose of carrying out the culminating phases of His life.

The authorities realized that an

der, and it is clear that the whole proceedings were not only unjust but completely unlawful.

They were unlawful in that the trial was held after the commencement of the feast of the passover—when courts were forbidden to meet. The trial itself was unjust because the Sanhedrin of Judges formally predetermined that Jesus was guilty, conduct fatal to the validity of a conviction.

Caiaphas, moreover, obviously violated Jewish precedents because of no charge could Jesus be proved guilty by the necessary testimony of two agreeing witnesses. Jesus was actually convicted on His own testimony of being the Son of God, of which no "fitness gave testimony and no investigation was made.

Such utter lack of evidence seems to have merely strengthened the court's determination to persecute Jesus. Had it been able, the court would have no doubt ordered His immediate execution, but under Roman law the Jewish court lacked the authority to pronounce the death sentence.

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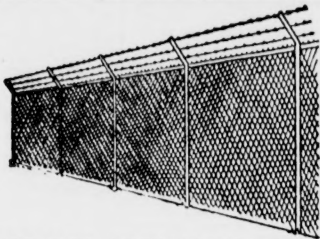
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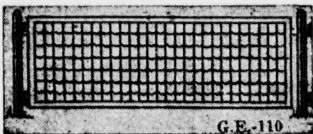
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By R J SCOTT



Canadian Utilities Announces Power Rate Reductions

A revision of electric light and power rates has been announced by Canadian Utilities Limited covering Smoky Lake, Wapitite, Waskatenau and Radway.

These rate schedules have been approved by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners at the request of the Company.

Applying past and present rates to a Domestic Consumption of 100 K.W.H.'s gives an example of the savings the new rates bring to the consumers in these centers.

Wapitite had no service before it was hooked up to the Canadian Utilities network but Radway, Smoky Lake and Waskatenau were served by individual plants with rate schedules that varied very slightly. Taking the average of these, the bill for a month's Domestic Consumption of 100 K.W.H.'s was \$19.00 and this figure, while it does not apply to

Wapitite, is used for comparative purposes. Since the company took over, identical rates have been effective in each of these four urban areas.

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Arson Count Added To Forgery Charge

Miss Yvonne Langevin, former secretary of the Lac la Biche school division, has been charged with arson in addition to seven charges of uttering forged documents already laid against her.

The new charge has been laid as a result of a fire in the division offices February 23. School records were scorched in the blaze.

Miss Langevin appeared in police court March 30, but no plea was taken. She was remanded to April 20, and all charges will be answered at that time at Lac la Biche.

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Rural Health Unit Continues Work

Several Inoculation Clinics were held by members of the Edmonton Rural Health Unit during March. Dr. Siemens and Miss Guild held clinics at Gibbons and Egremont, while Mrs. Van Alstine and Miss Glines were at Legal, Vimy, St. Albert and Morinville. Twenty-four children were inoculated at Gibbons, 15 at Egremont, 25 at Legal, 4 at Vimy, 28 at St. Albert and 53 at Morinville. Clinics for the month of April will be held as follows.

Gibbons—Wednesday, April 12th, 11:00-12:00 noon; Egremont—Wednesday, April 12th, 2:00-3:00 p.m.; Legal—Friday, April 14th, 10:30-12:00 noon; Vimy—Friday, April 14th, 1:30-2:30 p.m.; St. Albert, Wednesday, April 19th, 11:00-12:00 noon; Morinville, Wednesday, April 19th, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

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'Lo, The Poor Indian'

By HENRY THOMPSON

Trapping and Hunting are His Pursuits, But
There's Something Else Behind It All

A young Indian from the Saddle Lake Reserve stepped into a store ahead of me with what appeared to be a sack of furs. I decided this might be interesting. The size of the sack indicated coyote pelts. Rat season not yet started; smaller furs in a bag of that dimension would be a small fortune.

Value of raw furs from the trapper to the local store buyer depends largely on the wit and experience of the buyer and on the seller's wisdom and need for money. All raw furs in season are from the buyer's standpoint tottering on the brink of a disastrous drop. Each season this is the stock in trade argument of all the buyers and I have noticed it always works for the buyer.

I waited negotiations with some impatience but knew an Indian never offers his wares without first move by the trader. A farmer finished a large grocery

order and the store keeper helped him pack his parcels to his waiting sleigh at the door. I walked up to the counter, made a small purchase and found myself a good packing case seat, determined to wait the day if necessary.

The store keeper, who seemed as anxious to know the contents of his prospective customer's parcel as I was, walked around the counter, pointing to the Indian's sack, and said, "You got furs to sell?"

"Yes," answered the Indian in perfect English, "I have three very fine pelts." He proceeded to unfasten the strings and dump the contents on the floor.

"Coyote pelts!" yelled the disappointed store keeper. "They're no good, have no value! I couldn't sell them for fifty cents apiece, no lone haired fur is any good now."

However, he couldn't help but reach down and examine the pelts, with a kind of wrist and arm motion twist he made the fur crackle in a shimmering flow grey hair in a shimmering flow that reminded me of flowing grey water in a lake whipped by a good stiff breeze.

The Indian seemed stunned and speechless as the merchant handed out his verdict.

"Are you telling me the truth," inquired the Indian at last. "I can hardly believe it. Why then is the government paying to hunt coy-

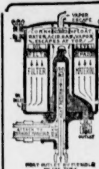
otes by plane? It must cost a pile of money to hunt them that way. Besides, a coyote hunts mostly at night and how could flyers see them?"

"Don't ask me, I have no idea why, except that they say that is the best way to exterminate them as they destroy a lot of farmer's sheep and chickens," replied the exasperated store keeper. "The quickest way in my opinion would be to find a market for the pelts. If the Calgarians could make their five gallon hats out of coyote pelts there wouldn't be a coyote left inside of two years."

"Huh," said the Indian as he sadly replaced his fine pelts and prepared to leave. "The white man always makes a big smoke to get a small fire."

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In The Legislature

H. LORAY, M.L.A.

The Honourable D. B. MacMillan, on reporting to the House, stated that the anticipated road program for 1950 would exceed that of any previous year in Alberta's history.

Information was given to the House to show that on a per capita basis Alberta's grant towards education was from two to seven times as great as that of any province with the exception of British

Columbia and New Brunswick.

Some of the Opposition had suggested that oil revenue should be used to reduce taxation. Premier Manning replied to this by stating that there were three reasons why the Government would not follow this practice.

In the first place, he stated, tax rates in Alberta are generally lower than the average for other provinces of Canada. Secondly, the financial position of Albertans is better than usual, and, thirdly, the general feeling of the public is that it is more desirable to increase services than to reduce taxation.

Speaking in answer to Mr. Prowse's criticism that 18 millions of dollars of the Provincial revenue is a gift from Ottawa under the Tax Transfer Agreement, Mr. Manning stated that far from such an amount being a gift from the Senior Government, it represented only a rental payment for the Dominion Government's exclusive use of the various tax fields in which they have complete jurisdiction during the life of the Tax Transfer Agreement. He pointed out to the House that the Alberta Government will give serious consideration to the amounts now being allocated by Ottawa in these tax fields before agreeing to renew the Agreement on the expiration of its present life.

The Honourable Mr. Casey told the House that education today employed 9,000 people whose wages exceed twenty million dollars yearly. He stated that Provincial grants to school districts have increased from \$4,307,000 in 1946 to \$7,850,000 this year. This is an increase of 82 per cent in four years. Teachers' pensions will cost the Government more than half a million dollars in 1950. The House was told that the membership of the Farmers' Union

of Alberta as at January 31, 1950, was 4,593. In reporting to the House, Honourable D. A. Ure indicated that there are over a quarter million cattle that have been tested for T.B. and every effort is being made to test the entire area between Calgary and Edmonton.

District Agriculturists and Home Economists last year contacted 176,000 people in an endeavour to assist farm people with their problems. More than a million trees will be planted in Alberta this year and every effort is being made to increase this quantity as an essential step in controlling soil erosion.

The resolution was passed in the House requesting the Dominion Government to allow Old Age Pensioners to earn more money than at present without automatically having their pension reduced.

Considerable progress is being made in the passing of the estimates and it is possible that the House might complete its work by the end of the month.

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Sunday School Lesson

THE CHURCH SUFFERING AND TRIUMPHANT
International Sunday School Lesson for April 9, 1950
MEMORY SELECTION: "If we endure, we shall also reign
with him." — II Timothy: 2: 12.

Lesson Text: I Peter 4: 12-13; Revelation 7: 9-11

In the larger lesson given for our study this week, we have the story of the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. The experiences of this Palm Sunday are definitely related to the general theme of this lesson. It is significant that all of the Gospel writers lay stress on the voluntary character of Christ's death. He deliberately faced Jerusalem, although he knew that, to do so, meant certain death.

The multitudes were inspired with great enthusiasm. They "spread their garments in the way," but this same multitude, a few days later, cried, "Crucify him, crucify him."

In the groups that followed Jesus in the procession to Jerusalem was Peter the Galilean fisherman, and one of the leaders among the disciples. This same Peter became one of the greatest of the leaders in the early church. His knowledge of Jesus was founded on a personal relationship with him and it is believed that his influence in the early church was second only to that of Paul.

The first letter of Peter was written to the early Christians in a time of special affliction. Edgar J. Goodspeed, in "How to Read the Bible," declared: "The modern Christian naturally intends to be a good citizen of his country, but the early Christians

lived under a pagan government which did not regard their religion as legal, and sometimes attacked them. The demand for emperor worship as a token of loyalty to the empire was one Christians could not possibly comply with, and it threatened to drive them into dialyaly and sedition.

"But a nobler solution of the problem was proposed in I Peter, which called on the Christian brotherhood to obey the state, respect the emperor, and love even their enemies. This was the true attitude for the church to assume in the face of persecution. If persecution came, it must be endured as part of the will of God. 'Therefore those who suffer by the will of God must intrust their souls to a Creator who is faithful, and continue to do what is right.' This was the patient heroism which was later to overcome the world."

There is no organized movement of which there is a record which has ever shown the marked progress the church showed during its early years of existence. This progress may be attributed in large measure to the opposition and persecution it encountered. "The growing influence of the church was seen in the enemies it made and the opposition it encountered," says J. W. Conley, in *The Early Church*. "A movement of no influence awakens no opposition."

The Book of Revelation was written by the Apostle John "in a time when the forces of righteousness and faith seemed threatened with extinction. The Roman Empire's demand for emperor worship as a token of loyalty from all its subjects except the Jews brought it for the first time into collision with the young Christian Church, and threatened the church with immediate destruction. But the Christian prophet declares that whatever disasters may overtake the world and threaten the church, the one certain thing about the future is the final triumph of the Kingdom of God. So, the Christian is to move undismayed through plague, famine, war, invasion, earthquake, flood and death sure that the sover-

School Grants Exceed \$120,000

MORINVILLE.—At its regular monthly meeting, held Thursday, March 14 in the Municipal District office here, the council received requisitions for school costs totaling \$124,720.42. Requisitions were received from all but two school districts.

Sturgeon School Division No. 24 led the list of requisitions with a sum of \$117,453. Thibault R.C. Public School District No. 35 asked for \$5,042.45, Ste. Bernadette R.C. School Division No. 34 asked for \$1,700, and Stony Plain School Division No. 23 asked \$542.97. Requisitions were not received from Westlock School Division and Clyde Consolidated School District.

On motion of councillor Walker it was decided to make first quarterly payments at once, as soon as requisitions had been received by the secretary and found in order.

Account was received from the Manawan Drainage District for bridges and culverts which totaled \$3,307.52. This assessment was prepared by the engineer for the construction of bridges and culverts. It was moved by Councillor Meunier that the MD write the drainage district and ask if this amount be accepted, whether this amount could be paid in two equal instalments over a period of two years.

Councillor Walker moved that the MD advise the Dept. of Public Works of the cancellation of six miles of road allowance ad-

eighty of the world will finally belong to our God and His Christ, and he will reign forever and ever . . ." Edgar J. Goodspeed, *How to Read the Bible*.

In these modern days, when comfort and prosperity are a mark of our common life, we need to guard against a religion that is too easy, too comfortable. We do not, however, need to actually experience religious persecution in order to maintain the triumphant church. All Christians need the courage to persevere in the grind of daily life, the faith to bear the burdens common to all and love which should undergird all activities in His name.

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By motion of Councillor Walker it was moved that permission be granted to Calgary Power to install electric power systems in Villeneuve, and elsewhere in the Municipal District.

In order to avoid a repetition of last year's tremendous fire losses, it has been decided that no burning permits will be issued in the area west of Highway 2, Caraway to Edmonton and north of Highway 16, Edmonton to Lloydminster, after April 1 until such times as conditions are safe.

Applications as cat-operators were received and filed for future reference from E. T. Comeau, Eddie Bachand and Germain Bouvier.

Grants were presented to agricultural section of the Morinville Board of Trade (\$50), to the public libraries at St. Albert and Morinville (\$50 each), and to the Red Cross (\$25).

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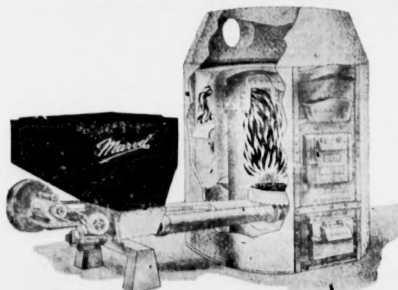
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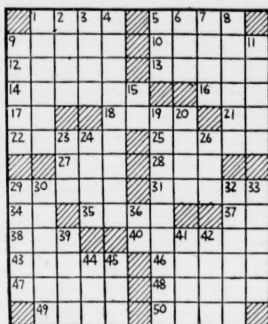
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a goodly quota of dental troubles. The specimens from a primitive Eden had similar living conditions—yet some had a rash of cavities, while others were almost decay free. Strangely enough, those with evidence of bad toothaches did not have access to refiner sugar, candy, soft drinks, or pastry.

Dr. Ernest A. Hooton, Harvard professor of anthropology, a Boston dentist who checked over the teeth, find this significant. The fact that decay hit some animals and left others intact emphasizes the genetic and constitutional backgrounds, factors that have been grossly neglected in the search for causative agents in dental caries.

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I am all upset and am thinking of going home to my mother. She didn't want me to get married, anyway. What would you advise?

Olio

L. B.

Answer:

It is pathetic for children to marry so young—before they are ready for the responsibilities and sacrifices that matrimony entails.

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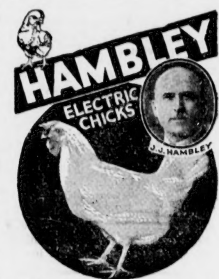
I see no future in such a life for you unless you two have a showdown. Whatever money he makes over your living expenses should go in savings and recreation for you both.

If he has been going out several times a week, he can take the same amount that he has been spending, hire a responsible person to stay with the baby and take you out for one evening. Other evenings can be spent reading, listening to the radio, playing games and doing a little inexpensive entertaining at home.

I hate to advise any wife to leave her husband but if your husband will not agree to some such plan and insists on behaving as he is doing, I should advise you to go home and try to get a job.

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Elaborate tree and shrub garden laced with park paths, picnic and playgrounds is to be cultivated in the area immediately west of the south end of the bridge. It will contain 1,200 species of native and imported trees and shrubs.

The gardens will receive a maximum exposure to sunlight, and it is expected that exotic plants which cannot be grown elsewhere

in the city will bloom there.

The parks department intends to make the full development a five year program that will be a major asset to the beautification program of the river valley. The arboretum will exploit the maximum possibilities of scenic, recre-



—Central Press Canadian

Art Tommy, son of former Ottawa rugby star, Ardy Tommy, was second in the slalom run. Ottawa skiers took all top honors at the event with the exception of the jumping and cross-country race.

The university is to make anational and cultural development of the city.

annual contribution of \$6,500 compared to the city's \$5,500 yearly allowance to the project. The university owns the land on which the tree garden will be developed.

The plan also envisions parks and playgrounds east of the bridge leading into the Queen Elizabeth park.



Cheeks are also very much in the picture and the woman who has a checked suit with different accessories for various occasions can't go wrong.

Green is always a good spring color and splashed on white silk looks cool and delightful for the summer days to come.

Paris skirts are fourteen inches from the floor and Dior's are sixteen. The dress and jacket keep on the fashion front. Dresses are either, trouserless or low having fitted or loose jackets or capelets. Some dress tops are of sheer materials than the other parts of the costume.

SMOKY LAKE BRIEFS

SMOKY LAKE — Mr. J. S. Dvornichuk was a week-end visitor in Smoky Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Wan Klen are the proud parents of a baby son born at the George McDougall Hospital recently.

George Sutton who is employed by the Gulf Oil Co. at Peace River is visiting friends in Smoky Lake.

Steve Charchuk, employee of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here resumed his duties after a three-weeks' holiday.

The senior hockey team went to St. Paul recently to take part in the tournament there. The boys played the St. Paul team and suffered a very close defeat, the score being 3-2.

The Imperial Oil crew who were prospecting in this district for some time have left for Edmonton and will later go on to Manitoba when the roads are in better condition.

Andrew Millar of Edmonton was a week-end visitor in Smoky Lake.

Ukrainians Sponsor Grand Concert

THORHILD—On Sunday night, March 26, there was a grand concert held in the Thorhild Community hall. It was put up by the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox choir from Thorhild and Radway.

CASLAN NEWS ITEMS

CASLAN—Mrs. Olga Trenchie has returned to Thorhild after spending part of the winter with her sister, Mrs. S. Cislak.

Mr. John Sawka made a brief visit home the end of last week. He is working at the University hospital in Edmonton.

Mr. Wm. Krowchuk is in Edmonton during the week on business.

Mr. Alex Holash is in Edmonton where he expects to begin work with a construction outfit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Wolanaky are in Edmonton for a short visit.

Mrs. E. W. Meyer and Edna Meyer returned home after being in Edmonton for the past six weeks.

The program consisted of choir singing, duets, recitations and solos. The feature of the program was little Beverly Shewchuk, seven, singing a solo.

Active parts were taken by young and old alike.

Since it was a concert put up in remembrance of the great Ukrainian poet Taras Shevchenko, the Rev. Fyko gave a very outstanding speech about the life and history of the poet.

There was a big attendance and all enjoyed a well-spent evening.

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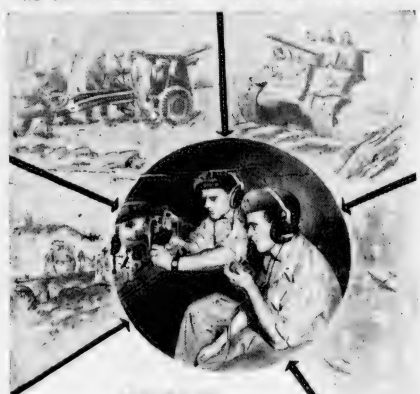
HAMLIN — A very successful bingo and wheel drive was held at Hamlin hall on March 18, sponsored by the Happy Hooligans.

The Hamlin Baseball Club is holding an annual meeting at the Hamlin hall on April 1.

It is rumored that Jerry Wilk of Hamlin will be building a modern home as soon as it is possible to put in the cement foundation.

The sawing of logs is in full swing for the last week at Philip Pelech's.

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High Level Bridge Delay Stirs South Side Protest

City council this week contradicted a 75 per cent public vote of approval for conversion of the High Level Bridge to four lane upper-deck traffic, and announced indefinite postponement of the project. Decision was received with alarm on the South Side, and citizens interviewed registered sharp protest to the delay.

Apparently a major reason for the indefinite postponement of the program is that city council expects federal government will have to institute employment measures in a few weeks. High level bridge conversion could become part of a federal works pro-

ject, with Ottawa assuming the majority of the cost.

Council agreed last year to convert the bridge to four lane upper-deck traffic, with actual work to commence this June. Announcement was made that a cost-plus contract would be let to Dominion Bridge Co., which built the original structure and carried out modifications in 1941. Cost of the project was estimated at \$2,000,000, with the provincial government paying \$450,000, as the balance part of the highway commission.

Edmonton Transit System, on basis of assurance received from city council on the bridge conversion, had gone ahead with plans to complete a new overpass to carry traffic buses. Now that traffic buses cannot pass over

the bridge, these change-over plans are upset.

As the new hill road from 103 street and 97 avenue to 101 street will be completed this year, it is proposed that trolley buses run down this hill and across 105 street bridge to the South Side.

Other alternative suggestions are being made, and the whole modernization program of the transit system is being slowed down.

Trolley bus service on 109 street south of 82 avenue has also been approved by council, but no action has been taken yet.

"It will be necessary in view of the large highway development in the western section of South Edmonton," comments one of the commissioners.

Other suggestions receiving council consideration include construction of new bridges at Whittemud Creek, Rat Creek, or Grant Ravine.



SEEDTIME and HARVEST

Dr. F. J. Channing, Director of the Western Experiment Station, University of Alberta, writes: "The use of 2,4-D as a weed control in the control of weeds in cereal and flax crops. It is expected that over 10 million acres in Western Canada will be treated with 2,4-D in 1950. Some important factors affecting the safe, economical and successful control of weeds with 2,4-D are mentioned briefly here.

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Hette Davis will likely do the role in "All About Eve," which Charlotte Collier was to have before she got sick. Anne Baxter is already signed for a part in the films.

Greer Garson is to have a six months' vacation, so she won't return to this country until next fall.

Charles Coburn recently celebrated his sixty years in show business. Born in Macon, Ga., Coburn declares, "I can't re-

member wanting to be anything but an actor." He has appeared in forty-eight pictures in the last thirteen years.



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IDA BAILEY ALLEN

When a homemaker becomes 40 years of age or older, one of two problems may have to be solved. With the children grown she has too much unutilized time. And in some cases she is confronted for the first time with the problem of earning her own living.

The solution to either or both problems would be simple if she had only looked ahead during the years of her 30s and acquired a thrilling interesting hobby or avocation that might be turned to money-making later on if necessary. But I don't have time for a hobby! I can almost hear many busy homemakers say.

You're mistaken. You can find the time by practicing more short cuts in housekeeping and cooking. Moreover, you can't afford not to have a hobby—otherwise you may become psychologically "ingrown," a spiritless mother and a dull companion to your husband.

45 Minute Time Saving Dinner

Tomato Juice

Peanut Butter Canapes

Cranberryed Ham Slice

Grilled Sweet Potato

Quick Cabbage

Hot Rolls

Cooky Crumb Pudding with Jelly
Coffee or Tea Milk (Children)

Procedure

Start sweet potatoes to boil.

Start ham to bake.

Make pudding.

Peel potatoes, slice and start to grill.

Shred cabbage and start cooking.

Prepare peanut butter canapes.

Open tomato juice.

Set table.

Start coffee and reheat rolls, or

finish baking ready-to-bake rolls.
Serve dinner.

All Measurements Are Level
Recipes Serve Four
Cranberryed Ham Slice

Trim the rind from 1 lb. tenderized ham sliced a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ in. thick. Place the ham in a baking dish into which it just fits. Pour over $1\frac{1}{4}$ c. cranberry sauce mixed with 1 tbsp. vinegar. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375-400 F. until the ham is tender, about 20 min. Baste twice with the juice in the pan.

Cooky Crumb Pudding

Beat 1 egg; add $1\frac{1}{2}$ c. crumbled stale cookies or cake, 3 tbsp. honey or sugar, 1 tsp. allspice or $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. nutmeg, cinnamon and clove, and $2\frac{1}{2}$ c. heated milk. Transfer to a buttered or margarine casserole or shirred egg dishes and bake in a moderately hot oven, 375 F. until set and firm on the top, about 15 min. Serve warm or cold with light cream, whipped topping or with melted jelly foamy sauce.

Melted Jelly Foamy Sauce: Add $\frac{1}{2}$ c. any tart red jelly to $\frac{1}{2}$ c. boiling water. Cook and stir until the jelly melts. Then beat into 1 egg white which has been whipped stiff. Serve at once.

The Chef Suggested Grilled Sweet Potatoes

Scrub good-sized sweet potatoes. Cut off the ends and boil potatoes until half done, about 20 minutes, or pressure-cook 4 minutes at 15 lbs. Peel and slice lengthwise $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick. Brush both sides with melted butter or margarine. Dust with salt and grill about 5 minutes at a distance of 4 in. from the heat. Turn once. When almost done sprinkle over 1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce.

of seven games, and C team won four out of seven games.

High scorer for the night's play was Bob Kay of South Side with 134.

At the Challenge game between South Side and Wetaskiwin Legion dartsmen at Strathcona March 28, South Siders won 14 out of 21 games, and once again Bob Kay was top dartman with 125. A return match is slated for Wetaskiwin April 4.

HEARD THIS ONE?

Benny: Hey, look at that bunch of cows!

Dale: Not bunch, herd.

Benny: Heard what?

Dale: Herd of cows.

Benny: Sure I've heard of cows.

Dale: I mean a cow herd.

Benny: What do I care if a cow heard?

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An Awful lot
Of Face
To wash!

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Careless drivers are soon car less.

Hollywood has been described as a place where people buy clothes they can't afford to impress people they don't like.

Let's hope that the atomic age isn't the era in which all men are cremated equal.

For people who can't seem to keep out of trouble, I suggest a pen that writes under hot water.

The cold war is going right along. Let's hope it doesn't develop into anything serious.

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grow,
Past great cattle ranches, spread-
ing,
Under winter's chinook blow,
Red men made their tribal laws
here,
Buffalo bones scattered lay,
In the distant haze of ages,
Brave men made this path to
stay.

Long the route that's leading
westward,
To the pinnacles and spires
Of the everchanging mountains,
And of ancient Iroquois fires,
Lobsticks line the trails of history,
Where rough forts and fur-trade
posts,
Sheltered rugged, famed Mounties,
And strong pioneering hosts.

Tete Juane's steps lead upward,
savoring
Of the spicy mountain breeze,
Over lakes of tinted shadows,
Quicksand, gnarled and wind-
swept trees,
Sentinel of the pass stands guard-
ing,
Roche Miette, rears over all,
Shading goat and sheep and white-
tail,
That slip down the craggy wall.
Roche Ron Homme lies sleeping
coldly

On a pungent heather bed,
Elks shrill bugle breaks in echoes,
At the foot of Pyramid, red,
Silhouetted, boldly, bleakly,
'Gainst the budding of the morn,
Where the whistlers warn of
danger,
And the blue of heaven is born.
Cavell's white shoulders, in the
moonlight,
Glitter in the silvery spell,
And the angel on her bosom,
Pleads in prayer, that all be
well.

Sparkling stars be-jewel the black-
ness
Of small Beauvert's still domain,
And high, the ice-cap mothers
rivers
That surge down onto the plain.
Lucerne's tote-road wanders lazy,
Rose and paint brush scattered
free,
Placed there by the Master Sower,
Beauty, for Eternity—
Old FitzWilliam, Seven Sisters,
vainly

Gaze on Yellowhead's glass,
Long the shore the belled pack-
train's
Lonely jangle fills the pass.
On Moose Lake's shore the blue-
berries drink,
Beside the hidden creek,
The Emperor nooms and lilies
blow,
To Robson's stately peak.
Blue River winds a path to find,
On rocky canyon ledges,
Lost and lonely, purring on,
Through spruce and cattail
hedges.

St. Paul and Peter watch the
trysting
Of the Thompson, North and
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And the waiting rattle's mouth,
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carol,
Over ridges of hot sand,
And alkali ponds, where range
horse
And the great, white-faced, wild
bulls stand.

Rousing to its might power,
The infant Fraser roars and
brawls,
Confined and angry, in its gorge,
Deep in the grim canyon walls,
Where salmon fishers platforms
sag
Below the road to Yale,
And loaded camels stalked the
grade,
Of gold mad Cariboo Trail.

Whispering, now its son of free-
dom,
Through the vale, the Fraser
sweeps,
Past cedars, ancient, fern-en-
shrouded
High Cheam her bulwarks keeps,
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children, the director said mak-
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season. Very young children
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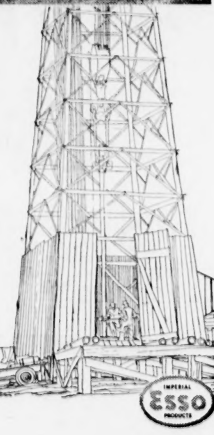
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FOR SALE—House for sale, 20x28 feet, four rooms, one storey. Surface foundation. To be moved. Harry Hamilton, Mannville. Phone R715. C.A.-15-15

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PAKAN NEWS NOTES

PAKAN. — The next couple of weeks interest will be centred on the river ice break-up, which can be spectacular sometimes.

Mrs. Shapka had the interior of her home remodelled and redecorated recently.

Mr. Spreadboro is feeling much better and is satisfied with treatments taken at the George McDougall Hospital at Smoky Lake.

Bill Shapka had his foot badly cut on broken glass during the excitement when a fire started in the basement. However, it was brought under control without any serious damage.

There has been a decrease in the inventories of canned applesauce in Canada. Result of a heavy election campaign?

Enjoy Varied Social Activities

HEATHERDOWN.—William Johnson treated the community to a big celebration March 24 in the Heatherdown hall, ending the lumbering season. Everyone reported a very enjoyable evening, with dancing to the music of Heatherdown's local orchestra.

The Alberta Wheat Pool show, March 21 in the Heatherdown hall was especially well attended and greatly enjoyed by all. The guest speaker was the delegate for the district, Mr. Patterson, films were shown by Mr. Stewart, and accompanied by Mr. J. Mills. Films were shown on agriculture, proper methods of sowing and harvesting and a comic strip for the children.

The Thames in England is one of the world's muddiest rivers.

SEEKS NEW DEAL IN RAIL RATES



—Central Press Canadian

Premier Smallwood of Newfoundland, seen on his arrival in Ottawa, said that he was carrying to the federal cabinet his province's fight for a new deal in railway freight rates. At the same time he said he was confident the controversial freight rates issue will never sever the bonds of Confederation between the island province and the rest of Canada. Mr. Smallwood said he would "appeal to the governor-general-in-council against the Feb. 20 award of the board of transport commissioners." The award ruled against the province in its application for an order compelling Newfoundland's rate structure and replacing it by rates in effect in the maritimes.

THORHILD TOPICS

THORHILD. — Congratulations Thorhild boys. Keep it up. Egremont visited Thorhild on Wednesday, March 29 at which the scores were Thorhild 7, and Egremont 6.

Mrs. Mary Chmara is resting in the Radway hospital. We hope Mrs. Chmara all the success and wish to see you home soon.

Mr. Stanley Olechowy has bought a truck from Mr. George Kolach. Henry and Leo's Transfer from Thorhild have bought another new 3-ton truck. They are building a van on this truck to give the people the best service in summer and winter.

The Thorhild high school students are very busy right now writing their Easter exams. Here's all the luck to them all.

Spring is just around the corner here. The main roads in town are starting to dry up and the snow is practically all gone.

Makowski's and Olechowy's boys from the Moose-Hill district have been away logging at Chisholm all winter. They claim there's a tremendous amount of snow there yet. They still haven't got an idea when they will be through for the season.

Everyone is very pleased to see Mrs. Holmes of Thorhild up and around after having a misfortune by fracturing her leg some time before Christmas.

The Thorhild Board of Trade held a meeting on March 28. They had a discussion concerning the highway. They also had a few other discussions. The attendance was fair. We hope to see all members attend the meetings regularly. Non-members are also welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Smarack from Clearbrook have moved to our district. They are fully settled on their farm formerly owned by Pete Chipinick. We wish them all the success in their new home.

We have welcomed a new member to our bank staff. Glen Kruick is left the position of accountant-manager in this bank and was transferred to Kinistina, Sask. Frank Polanski has taken over Kruick's position and our new member by the name of Henry Evinicki from Saskatchewan, is our pay teller now.

On Tuesday, March 28 Radway High School badminton team came to Thorhild. Radway girls took two

games out of two and the boys—Radway only took one out of 14.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Pinchuk moved to their new home at Radway. A farewell party was held in their honor on Saturday at their home. A large crowd attended.

Mr. P. Kotysak has purchased Mr. Macey's house and will move in there soon. He will then enlarge his present business premises to a fully modern restaurant. At present Pete is just offering light lunches and keeps patent drugs. Pressure of business forces him to enlarge the space.

The principal of Tudor school, Mr. Wm. Kraychy, took his students to visit parliament in session at Edmonton. They also visited other centres such as the Journal, dairy, and ended by having supper at the hotel and finally went to the show.



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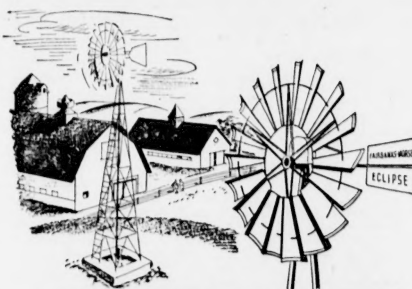


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